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Docket No.: 55071-283 <u>PATENT</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Doug Van Den BROEKE, et al.

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METHOD OF ACHIEVING CD LINEARITY CONTROL FOR FULL-CHIP CPL

MANUFACTURING

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated December 3, 2003, now expired February 3, 2004, be extended for one month and set to expire on March 3, 2004.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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